



St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church

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Pastor

Rev. Brian Lorei

Permanent Deacons

Dcn. Evelio Garcia-Carreras

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Dcn. Rich Kren

Sunday Masses

Saturday — 5:00 p.m. Vigil

Sunday — 8:30 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Mon—Sat* 9:00 a.m.

(Rosary after Mass)

*Thursday 9 a.m. Communion Service

Confessions

Saturdays

9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

or by appointment.

Office Hours

Monday through Thursday

9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

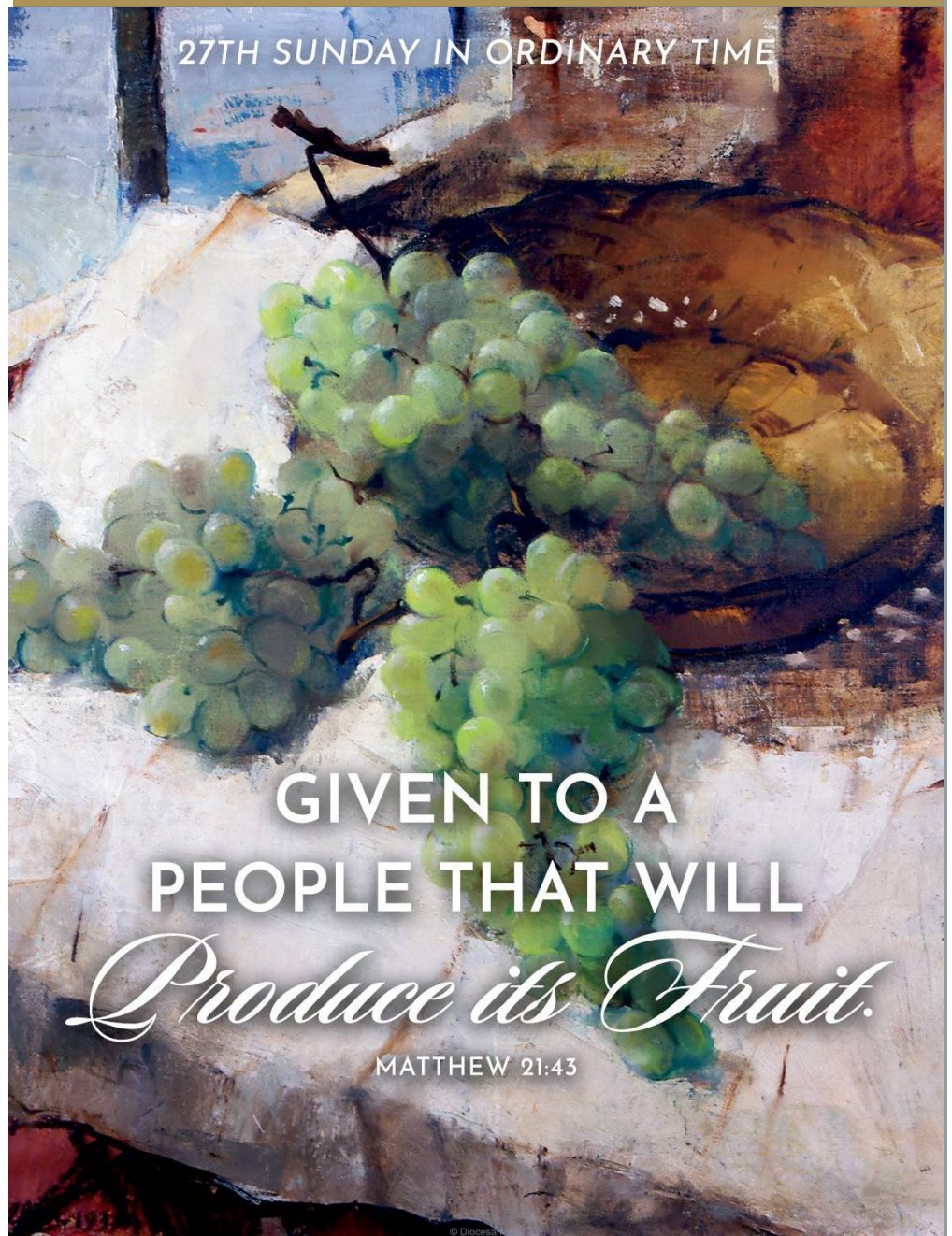
Friday

9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

(Closed daily for lunch
from 1-2 p.m.)

SUNDAY October 4, 2026

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Parish Mission Statement

We the people of God of St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church, united in One Lord, One Faith and One Baptism celebrate and are nourished and sustained by Jesus in the Holy Eucharist and in His Holy Word. Brought together by Jesus and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we fulfill His command to go into the whole world and proclaim the good news of salvation by sharing our faith through Prayer, Evangelization, and Acts of Charity.

Mass Intentions

Sunday	October 4, 2026
8:30 am	People of the Parish
11:00 a.m.	Josh Ferris ✙
Monday	October 5, 2026
9:00 a.m.	Holy Souls in Purgatory ✙
Tuesday	October 6, 2026
9:00 a.m.	Vicki Ferris (L)
Wednesday	October 7, 2026
9:00 a.m.	Connie Ball ✙
Thursday	October 8, 2026
9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Friday	October 9, 2026
9:00 a.m.	Dolores Messner (L)
Saturday	October 10, 2026
9:00 a.m.	Matt Loibl ✙
5:00 p.m.	Virginia Bauer ✙
Sunday	October 11, 2026
8:30 am	Pauline Dufour ✙
11:00 a.m.	People of the Parish

Baptism

Parish families who wish to have a child baptized should be registered in the parish before taking the class. Both parents

must attend the Baptism class which is usually held the second Sunday of each month at noon in *Our Lady of Fatima* room. Please make arrangements for a babysitter as we do not provide babysitting services. **Please pre-register for the class with the Parish Office at 770 -381-7488 during normal business hours or email secretary@sstmcc.org** (to ensure that the class will be held on a particular date). Parents will need to select God-parents for their children who are active, practicing Catholics. Baptisms are scheduled only **AFTER** you have taken the class. Parents must be active, practicing members of St. Stephen the Martyr for at least three months before scheduling a baptism.

An Evening for Life
October 11 ~ 5 to 9 p.m.
Georgia Aquarium
Keynote Speaker ~ Matt Birk
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Husband and Father of Eight
Go to www.pregnancyaidclinic.com for ticket information

Fall Picnic Saturday September 26, 2026



Thanks be to God for a wonderful day and to the Knights of Columbus for cooking and all the Volunteers who made this day so special.

OCTOBER 4, 2026

TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY

TITHES & OFFERINGS

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<u>Weekend Sept. 27, 2026</u>	<u>2nd Coll. Archdiocese SVdP</u>
Offertory \$ 8,401	Offertory \$ 1,062
On Line \$ 3,898	On Line \$ 105
Total \$ 12,299	Total \$ 1,167

Thank you for your continued generosity!

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

October 4, 2026	Property & Maintenance
October 11, 2026	No Second Collection
October 18, 2026	World Missions
October 18, 2026	Monthly SVdP Collection
October 25, 2026	All Souls Novena
November 1, 2026	Property & Maintenance

***Forever Young Seniors
Pot Luck Luncheon
Monday, October 12th at 12 noon***

Please bring a side dish to share
Come join us for fun and fellowship



ROSARY MAKERS



Please join us Wednesday, October 14th, from 1pm to 3pm in the fellowship hall. Learn how to make rosaries (cord /or cord & bead). No experience necessary. We also repair broken rosaries. If you have questions, please contact Vicki Cunneen at 404-578-9700.



October 4: Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Like the vineyard in today's Gospel, our lives are entrusted to God's loving care. We may not always see the fruit of our efforts, and we may wonder whether the small things we do truly make a difference. But God asks us to remain faithful—to keep showing up, to keep loving, and to keep caring for one another. When we place ourselves in His hands, He can bring forth fruit in ways we may never see.

Through the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, we have the privilege of being His hands and feet to those who are struggling. A visit, a listening ear, a meal, or a word of encouragement can remind someone who feels forgotten that they are not alone and that they are loved.

Please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul bring the love and mercy of Jesus to those who feel left out and abandoned.

For assistance, call us at 678-892-6163.

For more information on volunteer opportunities, please contact us at SSTM.SVDP@gmail.com.



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